



**Declaration of Daniel Egger in Support of
Renewed Petition to Revive Filed Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)**

1. I, Daniel Egger, am the first named applicant of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/854,577 filed May 15, 2001 and entitled, "Method and Apparatus For Indexing, Searching And Displaying Data," (hereafter "the '577 application").

2. I have purchased and own the entire interest in the '577 application.

3. In a letter dated May 9, 2005, I was notified that an Office Action had issued in the '577 application. The letter was from an attorney at Dorsey & Whitney, LLP ("D&W") who I did not know. The May 9th letter did not state that the '577 application had been abandoned or indicate a due date or the urgency to respond to the Office Action. See copy of D&W Letter dated May 9, 2005, attached as Exhibit 1.


4. I did not find out that the '577 application had gone abandoned until March 2, 2006. See copy of March 2, 2006 e-mail, attached as Exhibit 2.

5. On April 10, 2006, I retained patent counsel, Volentine, Francos & Whitt, PLLC (hereafter "VFW"), in Reston, Virginia.

6. During the week of April 10, 2006, in cooperation with VFW, I diligently prepared the necessary documents for the petition to revive filed on April 17, 2006.

7. The present application was unintentionally abandoned. The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition was unintentional.

8. I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. § 1001, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the '577 application or any patent issuing thereon.



Daniel Egger

May 9, 2007
Date